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GLOWBUGS Digest 169

Topics covered in this issue include:

- 1) Thordarson #T-47109 xfmr.
by robert fowle <hammarlund@voyager.net>
- 2) CDs as Receiver Dials
by Jeff Duntemann <jeffd@coriolis.com>
- 3) Re: CDs as Receiver Dials
by Roy Morgan <morgan@speckle.ncsl.nist.gov>

 Date: Thu, 25 Apr 1996 13:46:39 -0400 (EDT)
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have Thordarson #T-47109 xfmr. offer - or - trade
 it's taps are marked as follows:

2.5V		10A
0	CT	0
	0	
o	o	o
10v	ct	3.25a

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	5v		3a		5v		3a
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Date: Thu, 25 Apr 1996 13:28:19 -0700
 From: Jeff Duntemann <jefffd@coriolis.com>
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 Subject: CDs as Receiver Dials
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A few months back, I got three unsolicited CD-ROMs in the mail within a single week from one damned online service or another. I threw them in my plastic chunxbox, and retrieved one last week on a whim while I was straightening out the garage. I attached it to an old National Velvet Vernier dial mechanism, and realized it would make a terrific VFO or receiver dial. They're about the right size unless you're doing miniaturization, they drill easily, and they always have at least one side with no garish printing on them.

I haven't actually put the pair into a receiver yet, but I left the assembly intact on the shelf for my next receiver project. If you have any unwanted CDs lying around (ROM or audio, same size & material) consider them for a dial support. The dial proper can be a paper circle glued to the CD.

--73--

--Jeff Duntemann KG7JF
 Scottsdale Arizona

Date: Thu, 25 Apr 1996 17:39:59 -0400
From: Roy Morgan <morgan@speckle.ncsl.nist.gov>
To: jeffd@coriolis.com, glowbugs@theporch.com
Subject: Re: CDs as Receiver Dials
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At 03:30 PM 4/25/96 -0500, you wrote:

>A few months back, I got three unsolicited CD-ROMs in the mail

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> and realized it would make a terrific VFO or
>receiver dial.

> ...

> The dial proper can be a paper circle glued to the CD.

Oh, My! What a great idea. I can do this on my Hartley transmitter.

Will I get greatly improved propagation and less cw jitter if I make the
dial markings with green felt tipped pen?

(My apologies to those glowbuggers who may not have run into the hoax of all
times on the audio newsgroups claiming that the use of green markers
improves the sound from a cd.

And further, my sympathies to those who may actually think it works.)

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